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CERTIFIED MAIL

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Ms. Marlene H. Dortch Office of the Secretary Federal Communications Commission 445 12<sup>th</sup> Street, SW Washington, D.C. 20554

RE:

CERTIFICATION OF SUPPORT FOR ELIGIBLE TELECOMMUNICATIONS CARRIERS PURSUANT TO 47 C.F.R. SECTION 54.314, CC DOCKET NO. 96-45 AND WC DOCKET NO. 10-90

Dear Ms. Dortch:

The Arizona Corporation Commission ("ACC") hereby certifies, based upon the attached affidavit from an Arizona Eligible Telecommunications Carrier ("ETC") and the ACC's 54.314(a) State-Certification Submission Year: 2014, that all Federal High-Cost and Connect America Fund ("CAF") Support provided to ETCs in this State was used in the preceding calendar year and will be used in the new calendar year only for the provision, maintenance and upgrading of facilities and services for which the support is intended, consistent with section 254 (e) of the Communications Act of 1934, as amended, and regardless of the rule under which that support is provided. This includes High Cost Loop Support, Local Switching Support and High Cost Support received pursuant to the purchase of exchanges.

Attached is a copy of the 54.314(a) State-Certification Submission Year: 2014 for ETCs certified through the Universal Service Administrative Company's ("USAC") new online program. Also included is a list of ETCs that are not listed online but are certified by the ACC pursuant to Section 54.314 of the Federal Communications Commission's rules (47 C.F.R. § 54.314), which requires States to establish an annual certification process for those carriers receiving Federal High Cost Support. As requested by the Universal Service Administrative Company, listed beside each carrier is its assigned study area code.

If you have any questions, please contact Pamela Genung at (602) 542-0664.

Sincerely,

Steven M. Olea

Director

Utilities Division

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List of Carriers Certified by the Arizona Corporation Commission Pursuant to Section 54.314 of the FCC's rules (47 C.F.R. § 54.314)

## ELIGIBLE TELECOMMUNICATIONS CARRIERS

Company Name Study Area Code

1. Telscape Communications, Inc. 459007



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## AFFIDAVIT CERTIFYING USE OF FEDERAL HIGH-COST AND CONNECT AMERICA FUND SUPPORT

STATE OF ARIZONA JUVAS
COUNTY OF Dallar
I, the undersigned, under penalty of perjury, state as follows:
1. I am the <u>President of Wireline</u> of <u>Telscape Communications</u> "Carrier") (Official Title) (Company Name)
2. I am a corporate officer of the above mentioned Carrier authorized to certify use of Federal High-Cost and Connect America Fund ("CAF") Support.
3. Carrier is an Eligible Telecommunications Carrier ("ETC") within the meaning of § 214(e) of the Federal Telecommunications Act of 1996, has been designated by the Arizona Corporation Commission as an ETC, and is eligible to receive universal service support pursuant to § 254(e) of the Act.
4. Carrier files this affidavit in compliance with the Federal Communications Commission's ("FCC's") Order of May 23, 2001, in Docket No. 96-45, and WC Docket No. 10-90 released in FCC 11-161, November 18, 2011, which requires that each state certify to the FCC that all Federal High-Cost and CAF Support was used in the preceding calendar year and will be used in the new calendar year only for the provision, maintenance, and upgrading of facilities and services for which the support is intended, regardless of the rule under which that support is provided.
5. Carrier hereby attests that it has used Federal High-Cost and CAF Support Funds from the preceding calendar year and will use said funds in the new calendar year only for the provision, maintenance, and upgrading of facilities and services for which the support is intended pursuant to § 254(e) of the Federal Telecommunications Act of 1996, regardless of the rule under which that support is provided.
6. Further affiant sayeth not.  Tolklade (Signature)
Todd Wallace (Typed name)  July 31, 2014
July 31, 2014
Subscribed and sworn to before me  this 1/31 by day of 2014.  County, Arizona  My Commission Expires 1/29/16  (Date)  ROCIO C. GONZALEZ  Notary Public, State of Texas  My Commission Expires  November 29, 2016

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54.314(a) State-Certification Submission Year: 2014

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Re: CC Docket No. 96-45/WC Docket No. 14-58, Annual State Certification of support for Eligible Telecommunications Carriers Pursuant to 47 C.F.R. & 54.314

Pursuant to the requirements of 47 C.F.R § 54.314, the Arlzona Corporation Commission hereby certifies to the Federal Communications Commission (FCC) and the Universal Service Administrative Company (USAC) that the eligible telecommunications carriers (ETCs) listed below are eligible to receive federal high-cost support for the program years cited.

The Arizona Corporation Commission certifies that for the carriers listed all federal high-cost support provided to such carriers within ARIZONA was used in the preceding calendar year ( 2013 ) and will be used in the coming calendar year ( 2015 ) only for the provision, maintenance, and upgrading of facilities and services for which the support is intended.<sup>1</sup>

## ETCs CERTIFIED BY Arizona Corporation Commission

CARRIER	SAC
ARIZONA TELEPHONE CO	452171
CITZENS-FRNTR-RURAL	452172
SOUTHWESTERN TEL CO	452174
COPPER VALLEY TELEPHONE, INC	452176
VALLEY TELEPHONE COOPERATIVE, INC.	452176
ACCIPITER COMM.	452191
MIDVALE-AZ	452226
Frontier Communications of the Southwest, Inc.	452302
TABLE TOP TEL CO	453334
CITZENS-FRNTER-WH MT	454426
NAVAJO-AZ-FRONTIER	454449
QWEST CORP-AZ	455101
SMITH BAGLEY, INC CL	459001
SMITH BAGLEY, INC. (NON-RESERVATION)	459002
TransWorld Network, Corp.	459014
SOUTH CENTRAL UTAH	502286
RIO VIRGIN TEL CO	552356

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>1</sup> 47 C.F.R. § 54.314(a) ("Certification. States that desire eligible telecommunications carriers to receive support pursuant to the high-cost program must file an annual certification with the Administrator and the Commission stating that all federal high-cost support provided to such carriers within that State was used in the preceding calendar year and will be used in the upcoming calendar year only for the provision, maintenance, and upgrading of facilities and services for which the support is intended. High-cost support shall only be provided to the extent that the State has filed the requisite certification pursuant to this section.")

Signed,

Signature of Certifying State Commission Representative: Certified On-Line

Name of Certifying State Commission Representative: Steven Olea

Title or Position of Certifying State Commission Representative: <u>Director, Utilities Division</u>

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Date: 09/03/2014